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In re Application of :
Omolayo O. Famodu, et. al. :
Application No. 10/009,791 :
Filed: November 5, 2001 :
Attorney Docket No. BB-1356USPCT :
ON PETITION

This is a decision on the petition under 37 CFR 1.137(b), filed January 18, 2007, to revive the above-identified application.

The application became abandoned for failure to reply to the non-final Office action mailed June 6, 2004.

The petition satisfies the requirements of 37 CFR 1.137(b), in that, petitioner has supplied (1) the reply in the form of a continuation application; (2) the petition fee of \$1,500; and (3) a proper statement of unintentional delay¹. Therefore, the petition is GRANTED.

This application is being revived solely for purposes of continuity. As continuity has been established by this decision, the application is again abandoned in favor of continuing application No. 11/002,562.

Telephone inquiries concerning this decision should be directed to the undersigned at (571) 272-3226.

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¹ A review of the record shows that petitioner provided an adequate explanation of the unintentional abandonment.